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REF: RIO 4685

SUBJECT: TALLOW

1. THERE ARE NO "MARKET QUOTATIONS" FOR TALLOW WITH
PRECISE SPECIFICATIONS GIVEN REFEL. CACEX WOULD HAVE
TO OBTAIN PRICES FOR SUCH PRODUCT DIRECTLY FROM US COM-
PANIES WHICH MIGHT BE IN POSITION MAKE BIDS.

2. USG CAN, WHEN NECESSARY, OBTAIN INDICATIVE PRICE
QUOTATIONS FROM PRIVATE TRADE; HOWEVER, SUCH QUOTATIONS
ARE INDICATIVE OF SITUATION IN A GIVEN REGION OF THE US
AT ONE POINT IN TIME ONLY WHEREAS COMMODITY PRICES
SUSCEPTIBLE TO CHANGE LITERALLY FROM MINUTE TO MINUTE,
AND VARY BY REGION, SELLER, DATE OF DELIVERY, ETC.
SINCE THIS NOT ALWAYS UNDERSTOOD FULLY BY FOREIGN BUYERS
AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, USG POLICY IS TO DISCOURAGE
POSTS FROM FORWARDING REQUESTS FOR SUCH INFORMATION ON
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REGULAR BASIS. THIS IS NOT, OF COURSE, INTENDED TO

DISCOURAGE INQUIRIES IN SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES (WHICH
POSTS THEMSELVES MUST BY-AND-LARGE JUDGE).

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3 WE NOTE THAT CACEX HAS REPRESENTATIVE IN NEW YORK AND

THAT MAJOR US EXPORTERS HAVE REPRESENTATIVES IN BRAZIL.
CACEX THUS IN POSITION GET PRICE INFORMATION FIRST HAND. KISSINGER

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